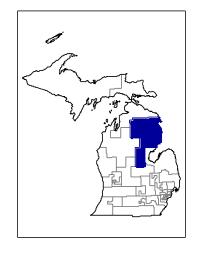
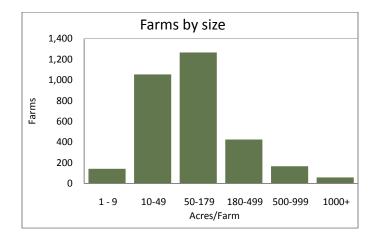
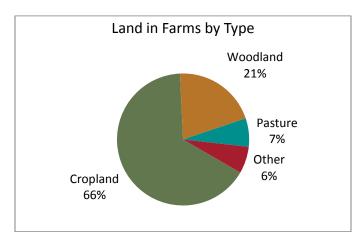


Michigan Senate District 36



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	4,759	4,248	+ 12
Number of Farms	3,116	2,768	+ 13
Land in Farms	473,769 acres	463,108 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	152 acres	167 acres	- 9
Irrigated Land	1,624 acres	2,260 acres	- 28
Market Value of Products Sold	\$150,233,000	\$95,563,000	+ 57
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$48,213	\$34,524	+ 40
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$5,829,000	\$2,835,000	+ 106
Government Payments	\$3,261,000	\$4,379,000	- 26
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,011	\$5,551	- 46







State Legislative Profile

Michigan, Senate District 36

Ranked items among the 38 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry and their products	150,233 51,606 98,626	13 17 9	31 31 30
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	32,769 - 2,698	12 - - 19	29 - - - 29
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay	1,532 (D) 225 (D)	14 27 15 4	27 31 26 29
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	365 20,331 73,914 1,330 361 932 126 1,267	14 8 7 13 12 10 10	30 29 25 28 29 28 21 27
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Wheat for grain, all Corn for silage or greenchop	114,163 55,082 25,502 14,835 11,232	3 13 13 9 8	30 29 28 27 26
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves Layers Horses and ponies Broilers and other meat-type chickens Hogs and pigs	61,267 11,595 6,372 6,172 5,408	6 6 5 5 15	28 29 31 28 28

Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	1,076
\$1,000 to \$2,499	392
\$2,500 to \$4,999	394
\$5,000 to \$9,999	324
\$10,000 to \$19,999	303
\$20,000 to \$24,999	79
\$25,000 to \$39,999	117
\$40,000 to \$49,999	62
\$50,000 to \$99,999	125
\$100,000 to \$249,999	103
\$250,000 to \$499,999	68
\$500,000 or more	73
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	128,406
Average per farm (\$)	41,209
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	30,916
Average per farm (\$)	9,922

Operator characteristics	Quantity	
Principal operators by primary occupation: Farming Other	1,313 1,803	
Principal operators by sex: Male Female	2,599 517	
Average age of principal operator (years)	56	
All operators by race ² : American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White More than one race	26 7 5 8 4,581 26	
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin ²	49	

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.